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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

10 GRECIA ECHEVARRIA-HERNANDEZ,)

11 Plaintiff(s),)

12 vs.)

13 AFFINITYLIFESTYLES.COM,)

14 Defendant(s).)
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Case No. 2:16-cv-00943-GMN-VCF

ORDER

16 The undersigned has been assigned as a settlement judge in this case for the purposes of holding
17 an early neutral evaluation. *See* Docket No. 3. Whether to exempt a particular case from the early
18 neutral evaluation process is an issue entrusted to the discretion of the settlement judge. *See* Local Rule
19 16-6(c). Defendant has appeared in this instance by filing a motion to compel arbitration. Docket No.
20 9. The parties are hereby **ORDERED** to file, no later than June 2, 2016, a joint statement as to whether
21 this case should be exempted from the early neutral evaluation process and, if not, whether the Court
22 should defer holding the early neutral evaluation until after the motion to compel arbitration has been
23 decided.

24 IT IS SO ORDERED.

25 Dated: May 26, 2016

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28 Nancy J. Koppe
United States Magistrate Judge